



Proclamation

POLICE AND FIRE APPRECIATION WEEK

WHEREAS, the Monroe Police Department and Snohomish County Fire District No. 7 personnel keep our community safe by increasing public awareness of methods for crime and fire prevention; and

WHEREAS, these devoted first responders show their dedication by putting their lives on the line to save others, protect property, and uphold the law; and

WHEREAS, selfless concern and the courage to endure whatever ordeal they face are commonly held values among our Police Officers and Firefighters, and

WHEREAS, hard work and commitment is the mission of public safety; the mottos of the Monroe Police Department and Snohomish County Fire District No. 7 are:

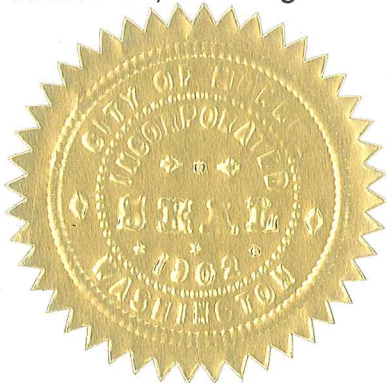
The Monroe Police Department is dedicated to the pursuit of excellence in providing professional law enforcement services, and;

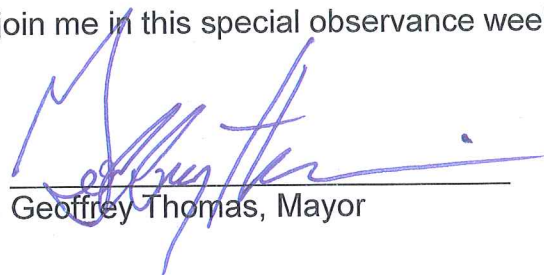
The Snohomish County Fire District No. 7 is dedicated to "Earning trust through action."

NOW, THEREFORE I, Geoffrey Thomas, do hereby issue this recognition as a true expression of appreciation and a symbol of gratitude for the exceptional quality of public service as you continue to dedicate yourselves to keeping our citizens and community safe; and proclaim the week of November 13, through November 19, 2016, as

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in the City of Monroe, and I urge all citizens to join me in this special observance week.




Geoffrey Thomas, Mayor